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GSU men's soccer loses to Georgia State 3-2 which sets current record to 6-10-2. Find out more inside

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Halloween at GSU

• A preview of 2000 Halloween events at GSU

By Julie Allen
Staff writer

It used to be that Halloween was a time to annoy your parents for the perfect costume for one evening of candy begging that we like to call trick-or-treating. But now that we are in college, it seems harder to get into the Halloween spirit. GSU is trying to make it a little easier for students to receive all the exciting feelings that accompany Halloween.

One of the thrills of Halloween has always been the night of trick-or-treating. Getting dressed up in freaky looking outfits and going door to door for candy never seems to get old. Greek Row is making it possible for the entire community of Statesboro to experience all the fun of trick-or-treating safely without having to trek all over town. All the sororities and fraternities are participating in handing out candy to all those dressed up and ready to trick-or-treat. This will take place on Monday from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

After trick-or-treating, what better way to keep the night alive than to go to the GSU Haunted Forest sponsored by the Department of Recreation and Sports Management? Nothing tops off Halloween better than going to a good, old-fashioned haunted house. The thrill of that hair-raising feeling running throughout your body makes paying to have the wits scared out of you make perfect sense. The Haunted Forest is at Paulson Stadium and will be scaring people tonight, Saturday,

Monday, and Tuesday starting at 8:00 p.m. The cost is \$3 per person.

If going out and getting dressed in frightening fashions isn't your thing, then perhaps the "True Tales of Ghosts" is right up your haunting ally. Eagle Entertainment is presenting the spooky "True Tales of Ghosts" Monday evening in the Russell Union Ballroom at 7:00p.m.

If going out on and getting spooked is too frightening but you still want to be apart of the holiday, the GSU Museum is having Student Day on Tuesday from 10:00a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Throughout the day, there will be spooky science experiments demonstrated in the museum. They will also be conducting a "design-a-mask" contest. To participate in the contest you must submit masks by Monday at 5:00p.m. Judging will take place on Tuesday at 1:00p.m.

Stuck in the dorm or your apartment on Halloween night? Get a group of friends and neighbors and, as corny as it sounds, rent the classic scary movies and make a night of it. For some reason this timeless tradition of being terrified by the television never losses its luster. Movies like "Psycho," "The Exorcist," and any "Halloween" movies are perfect for the occasion.

However you want to celebrate, just remember that Halloween is supposed to be a time of entertainment and fear all wrapped up into an intensely fun event. Please have a wonderful and safe Halloween.



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MUSIC

Billboards Top 5 Albums

1. "Kid A," Radiohead. Capitol.
2. "Let's Get Ready," Mystikal. Jive.
3. "Country Grammar," Nelly. Fo' Reel. (Platinum)
4. "Warning," Green Day. Reprise.
5. "Revelation," 98 Degrees. Universal.

Billboard Hot 100: Top 20

1. "Come On Over Baby (All I Want Is You)," Christina Aguilera. RCA
2. "Music," Madonna. Maverick
3. "With Arms Wide Open," Creed. Wind-up
4. "Kryptonite," 3 Doors Down. Republic
5. "Most Girls," Pink. LaFace
6. "Jumpin, Jumpin," Destiny's Child. Columbia
7. "Give Me Just One Night (Una Noche)," 98 Degrees. Universal
8. "Bag Lady," Erykah Badu. Motown
9. "Incomplete," Sisqo. Dragon/Def Soul (Platinum)
10. "Gotta Tell You," Samantha Mumba. Wild Card



TELEVISION

Top 10 Prime Time Shows

1. "ER," NBC, 18.4 million homes.
2. "Friends," NBC, 15.5 million homes.
3. "Everybody Loves Raymond," CBS, 14.4 million homes.
4. "Who Wants to be a Millionaire-Wednesday," ABC, 14.2 million homes.
5. "Will & Grace," NBC, 14.0 million homes.
6. "Who Wants to be a Millionaire-Sunday," ABC, 13.4 million homes.
7. "Will & Grace," NBC, 12.9 million homes.
8. "Fox World Series Game 2-NY Mets at NY Yankees," Fox, 12.9 million homes.
9. "The Practice," ABC, 12.7 million homes.
10. "Becker," CBS, 12.5 million homes.

Music Brief:

Eminem's estranged wife charged with disorderly conduct

Associated Press



Special Photo
Kim Mathers, Eminem's Wife

Warren, MI— The estranged wife of rapper Eminem pleaded guilty Tuesday to a disorderly conduct charge connected to the Grammy winner's arrest on assault and weapons charges.

Kim Mathers, 25, was arrested by Warren police June 4 for interfering with officers as they arrested her husband for allegedly using an unloaded gun to strike a man seen kissing Mathers.

Mathers attorney, Neil Rockind, said she acted out of concern for her husband.

"She should have heeded the officers' request to back up," he said. "In the heat of the moment ... sometimes the best of intentions are against the law."

Police allege that Eminem, whose real name is Marshall Mathers III, assaulted John Guerra with an unloaded gun after the man kissed Kim Mathers.

The rap star is charged with assault and carrying a concealed weapon. The charges carry punishment of up to five years in prison.

District Judge Dawnn Gruenberg sentenced Kim Mathers to 11 months of probation, assessed a \$50 fine and ordered her not to drink alcohol.

"You need to get a real good framework," Gruenberg said. "I just don't want something wrecking your life."

Rockind said the plea ties up another loose end in a life that began unraveling when Mathers met Eminem when she was 14.

"I don't know any other person on the planet who could endure what she did," he told The Detroit Free Press, referring to songs Eminem has written about killing his wife and disposing of her body in a lake.

Rockind, who also is representing Mathers in her divorce case, said the couple continue to live together in Macomb County's Clinton Township. They plan to live in their new home with daughter Haile Jade, 4, until the divorce, Rockind told The Detroit News.

Eminem's publicist declined comment. His manager did not return a call Tuesday from the Free Press.

Eminem, whose follow-up CD, "The Marshall Mathers LP," has gone multi-platinum with more than 6 million copies sold worldwide, also faces weapons charges in Oakland County. Royal Oak police allege he displayed a gun during an argument with an associate of the rival metro Detroit rap duo Insane Clown Posse.

Video Brief: "Shanghai" leaving a little to be desired

By Dana MacKay
Assistant Lifestyles Editor

Average Internet Rating: 3 stars out of 5
Rated PG-13

Jackie Chan (Rush Hour) and Owen Wilson (Armageddon) star in this Chinese/Western comedy. Chan plays Chon Wang who's on a mission from the Forbidden City to save Princess Pei Pei, played by Lucy Liu (Ally McBeal). Wang runs into Roy O'Bannen (Wilson), a professional train robber. I expected stunts and the like (gee, I think that's the only thing Chan can do), but some of them outright annoyed me. I saw Chan jumping for a train car and I knew there was no way that he would make it; but sure 'nough, in the next shot, there he was hanging on by his fingertips. Wilson's character kept things lively, but the chemistry between the two leads just wasn't there. The movie was fair. It's worth seeing; just don't go into it with great expectations.



MOVIES

Top 10 Films in Theaters

1. "Meet the Parents," Universal, \$16 million
2. "Bedazzled," Fox, \$13.1 million
3. "Remember the Titans," Disney, \$9.9 million
4. "Pay It Forward," Warner Bros., \$9.6 million
5. "The Legend of Drunken Master," Miramax, \$3.8 million,
6. "The Contender," DreamWorks, \$3.5 million
7. "Lost Souls," New Line, \$3.2 million
8. "The Exorcist," Warner Bros., \$2.9 million
9. "The Ladies Man," Paramount, \$2.8 million
10. "Dr. T and the Women," Artisan, \$2.4 million

Top 10 Video Rentals in Statesboro

1. "The Patriot"
2. "Love and Basketball"
3. "Toy Story 2"
4. "Pitch Black"
5. "Rules of Engagement"
6. "Center Stage"
7. "Keeping the Faith"
8. "Shanghai Noon"
9. "The Skulls"
10. "U-571"



BOOKS

Top 10 Nonfiction Bestsellers

1. "Who Moved My Cheese?: An Amazing Way to Deal with Change in Your Work and in Your Life" by Spencer Johnson (Putnam)
2. "The Beatles Anthology" by The Beatles (Chronicle Books)
3. "Body for Life: 12 Weeks to Mental and Physical Strength" by Bill Phillips and Michael D'Orso (HarperCollins)
4. "The O'Reilly Factor" by Bill O'Reilly (Broadway)
5. "Shadows of a Princess" by P.D. Jephson (HarperCollins)
6. "My Father's Daughter" by Tina Sinatra (Simon & Schuster)
7. "On Writing : A Memoir of the Craft" by Stephen King (Scribner)
8. "Tuesdays with Morrie" by Mitch Albom (Doubleday)
9. "Face Forward" by Kevyn Aucoin (Little Brown & Company)
10. "Nothing Like It in the World: The Men Who Built the Transcontinental Railroad" by Stephen E. Ambrose (S&S)

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Carroll Building floods with sewage

By Jake Hallman
Staff Writer

A sewer line burst in the Carroll Building Tuesday during renovation work, flooding the communication arts department's studios in raw sewage.

Students attending classes were not immediately notified that the liquid invading their classrooms was sewage, said Sandi Hirsch, a senior broadcasting major.

"We had class in it last night. They were cutting up carpet, asking us to move out of the way so they could cut the carpet up and sanitize while we were in the studios last night," she said.

"They were like 'Do you realize what you're standing in? It's not water.'"

Classes in the building have been canceled for the time being, for the second time in the past month. Classes were temporarily canceled earlier due to professors' and students' complaints about conditions during the renovation.

"At the moment, we have a pro-

cess in place to clean and sanitize the area where the pipe has broken as a result of the renovation that's occurred," Vaughn Vandegrift, GSU provost and vice president of academic affairs, said.

"We've had the sanitation company back once already, and we'll continue have them back until we're satisfied that the space can be properly utilized. Once that's met to our satisfaction, we'll do everything we can to institute the classes again."

Senior broadcasting major

Tony Giles described students as "up in arms" about the situation.

"[Students have been] working in unsanitary conditions with asbestos and sewage leaks, and we're not putting up with it anymore," he said. "I definitely feel that we've been overlooked. We all feel that we've been swept under the rug and thrown to the side."

About 15 students went to the administration building Wednesday afternoon to voice their concerns to GSU President Bruce Grube.

"Dr. Grube would not leave a meeting he was in to meet with us," said Hirsch. Instead, the students met with Vandegrift. The students, many of whom are scheduled to finish studies this year, worried about what effect the cancellation might have upon their graduation.

"We will get them back into the studio space as soon as possible. We will have to make an assessment about any equipment that may have been damaged, but we certainly are committed to doing everything we can to enable them to progress in time to graduate," Vandegrift said.

"We are committed to do ev-

everything we can to provide the educational opportunity that students need."

The students also were unhappy about paying lab fees in addition to tuition, then not having the labs available for their use.

"I definitely don't feel like I'm getting my money's worth," Giles said. "I pay just as much as anybody else does, I pay lab fees. Why pay a lab fee for a lab I can't even use."

Vandegrift had few solid answers. "The university can't be responsible for an emergency like a pipe breaking," he said. "We're going to do everything we can to get the program back up and running as it should, but this is really not something that could be foreseen."

When asked why students were



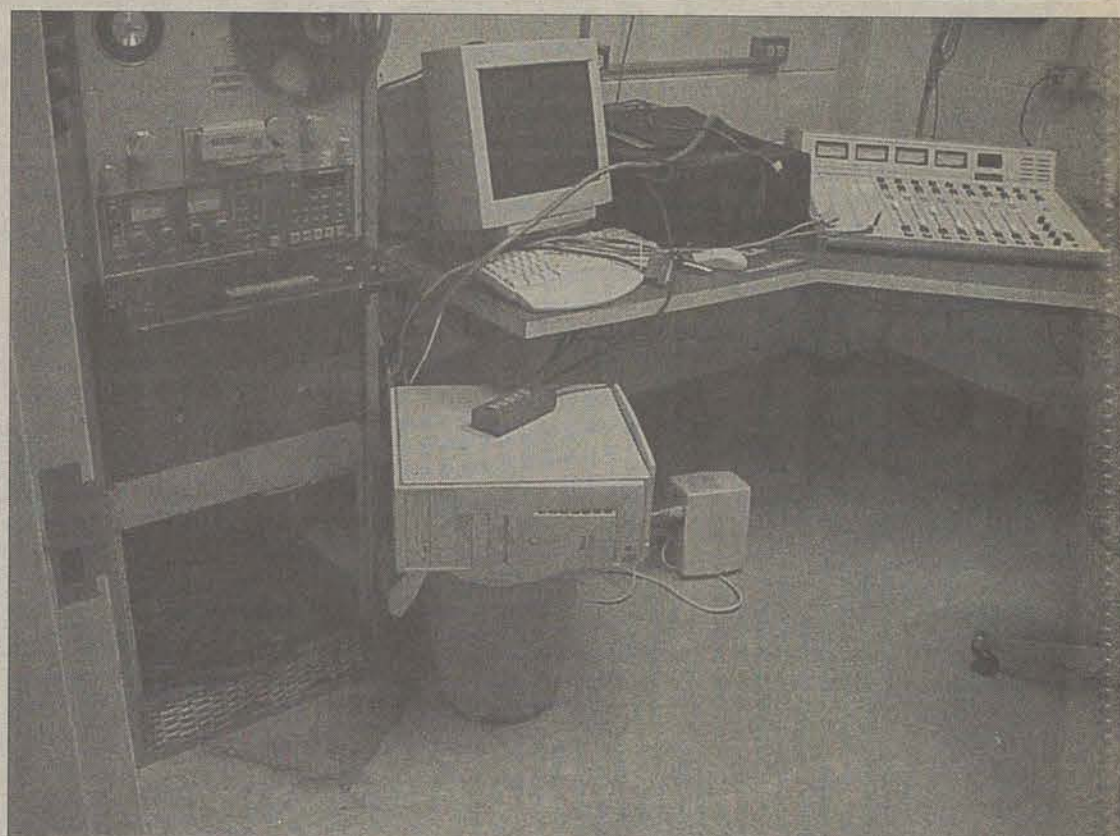
David Koepke

SANDI HIRSCH



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Provost VAUGHN VANDEGRIFT



David Koepke

SEWAGE IN THE CARROLL BUILDING: Classes were moved from the Carroll Building again due to construction related problems, this time stemming from a raw sewage leak.

allowed to attend classes Tuesday while sewage was seeping into their classrooms, Vandegrift replied that determining the nature of the leak had taken time.

"Georgia Southern University is quite concerned about what has happened. Obviously, any time that there is a sewer line break, you want to get in and fix things right away," he said.

The broadcasting students left unsatisfied by Vandegrift's response to their questions.

"I came back because GSU had a good broadcasting department. I'm going in debt to pay for school at Georgia Southern, and I'm not getting the experience and the information and the tools that I need to get a decent job," said Hirsch.

"I think my money is going some-

where else. I think if this happened in the business department, something would have happened a lot sooner."

"We've lost faculty in the last six, seven months, and we've been trying to hire new ones, and nobody wants to come and be a part of this faculty at all," said Giles.

"If I had to do it again, I would not come to Georgia Southern University to be a broadcast major."

GSU holds Family Weekend today through Sunday

By Tracie Fischer
Staff Writer

GSU has finished preparing for its annual Family Weekend on October 27th through the 29th. This weekend is designated for GSU students to invite parents, siblings, and even grandparents to be entertained while viewing our campus.

"GSU expects to involve the parents as the partners in education so that family members can know more of what goes on in the lives of their college students," Susan Braxton, a coordinator of New Student and Parent Programs said.

The activities for Family Weekend are designed for students and their parents

to have a optimum bonding experience. "The neat thing for students is that we have a schedule filled with activities. The student doesn't have to find things for the family to do while they are here," Braxton said.

In order to participate in Family Weekend activities, a package fee runs \$30 for adults and \$20 for children ages 3-12. The package includes a drive-in movie at Paulson Stadium. The film offered this weekend will be *Mission Impossible 2*, starring Tom Cruise. A dessert reception at the Raptor Center, a tailgate BBQ dinner before the East Tennessee vs. GSU

football game, a cool Family Weekend T-shirt, and a fan for the heat of Saturday's game rounds off the contents of the package.

Many upperclassmen who have experienced Family Weekend are probably wondering if there will be any new activities. "Our new activity is the new continental breakfast and Saturday morning academic sessions," Braxton said. "It gives families the chance to hear from faculty."

An attendance of over 2,000 people is expected for this year's family festivities. There is a split package available to those who would just like to

participate on Saturday, which costs \$20. This package is available for season ticket holders, parents of football players, and current GSU students with ID.

Family Weekend will be very exciting as other events occur such as the Haunted Forest, a women's volleyball match, the Zeta Tau Alpha Road Race, the Winburn Family Reunion, and a special program at the Wildlife Center.

With all these exciting events in mind, everyone should look forward to having Mom and Dad around for a weekend.



David Koepke

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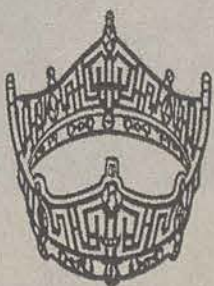
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NAACP holds 'Tribute to the African American Man'

• Men of Valor Award presented to Nicely, Grant, Johnson, and Burben

By **Chamica Armstrong**
Staff Writer

On Tuesday, the GSU chapter of the NAACP held its first annual Tribute to the African American Man. The purpose of the program was to recognize and to honor the influential African American Men of GSU.

"We actually have more than thugs and drug dealers among us, we have leaders and role models right here on campus. It was something that needed to be said aloud," Reginald Johnson, GSU's NAACP President said.

The program began with the singing of "Lift Every Voice and Sing." Historical and current African American male leaders were mentioned during the program's

proceedings, but the program centered on four men in particular.

Aaron Nicely, Jeff Grant, Francis Johnson, and Dr. Willie Burben were all presented with the Men of Valor Award. The four men were nominated and chosen for the award based on their over all contributions to the community.

Note speaker and GSU NAACP Advisor Dr. Georgene Bess had only positive things to say of the men and of the program in general. "We love, respect and honor the African American man, and we realize that there is more to him than the media portrays," Dr. Bess delivered a speech that questioned, challenged, and uplifted African

American men.

"What will be said of you?

How you live your life now will inform the man you are to become, or not to become. That's the question that lies ahead of you. Let it be said that you are a strong black man. Responsible, respectable, and reliable. Be loved and be loved," Bess emotionally preached.

The men were further honored through video, poetry, and instrumental contributions. The video, "Through the Eyes of Black Queens," was recorded here on campus. Women were asked to describe the African American male in two or more words. The women's answers included words such as strong, intelligent, trustworthy, God-fearing, and willing to do anything for his sister.

After the video, Mrs. Jeanette Collins of the Head Start organization recited a poem titled "The Original Black Man." The final tribute to the four men was an instrumental piece by pianist Keshia Carter. The program was concluded in group prayer.

"There will be a spin off to this program," President Johnson promised. "Soon, the GSU NAACP will have a Tribute to African American Women."

For more information about the NAACP, students can check out www.NAACP.org, or contact President Johnson at 871-7416.

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GSU gives homeless a helping hand

By **Tim Prizer**
Lifestyles Editor

If you've ever walked the streets of a large city, you've most likely heard their cries. Whether it be New York, Chicago, Washington DC, or even in our own backyard of Atlanta, they can be seen making homes beneath underpasses and on park benches. When you look into their eyes, there's nothing there. They struggle to build a society amongst themselves, as the society we know whizzes by them without a glance, like the cars that move in a blur past their signs of desperation. But what many don't realize is that homelessness and hunger take place on a much smaller scale, in practically every town in the US, including Statesboro.

This week, organizations and volunteers at GSU came together to devote an entire week's worth of programs and presentations to the homeless and less fortunate of Southeast Georgia. "Homelessness and Hunger Week" included seven events to help out in the community, all the while educating students further on the issues associated with poverty.

"My passion is helping people, and teaching others about issues related to society,"

Lee Ann Coody, the President of the GSU Sociological Society said. The Society is holding an extensive clothes drive, which began on October 12th and ends on November 3rd. Unlike most clothes drives, the students involved in the Sociological Society are more than willing to come pick up clothes for donation from any address around Statesboro. To date, they have collected around \$1000 worth of clothing, and hope for much more as they open room 2043 of the Russell Union for people to drop off their hand-me-downs. "We've had a really good turnout so far," Coody stated. All proceeds benefit the Statesboro Domestic Violence Shelter and the Homeless Shelter of Statesboro.

Today from noon to 1 p.m., "Homelessness and Hunger Week" will present the final Brown Bag Presentation, "Cultivating Opportunity," a video designed to promote self-help solutions to poverty in the US and Africa. The video tells the stories of small local farmers and those in Mozambique, Af-

"Getting Back Home from Here" was an interactive presentation held yesterday, which included personal history telling from homeless and formerly homeless citizens.

On both Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, two separate events were held each day. The Director of the Live Oak

Education Agency, James Phenix, held the second Brown Bag Presentation of the week on Tuesday, entitled "Habia Usted Esponol?" The presentation addressed various communal issues of migrants and provided answers to questions regarding immigrants to the US. Also taking place on Tuesday was the "Tent Event," perhaps the most interesting of all the scheduled events. For \$5, students and local volunteers spent the night in free rental tents from CRI on the side lawn of the Landrum building. The "Tent Event" was apart of a Red Cross Disaster Drill, and included a soup kitchen avail-



Special Photo

NO PLACE CALLED HOME: Homelessness is experienced by people of all ages throughout the world.

able to the hungry. Donations benefited the new Statesboro Homeless Shelter.

The Statesboro Regional Library Literacy Trainer, Elaine McDuffie, gave Wednesday's opening presentation. "Literacy and Justice for All" was a comprehensive speech about the frightening rates of illiterate citizens in our country, our community, and how we can turn these statistics around.

With the help of organizations and volunteers like the ones who participated in GSU's "Homelessness and Hunger Week," true social reform may one day prevail. Thanks to the work of many helping hands this week, at least the initial step has been made towards a more harmonious and healthy society.

Halloween
at the Georgia Southern Museum
Rosenwald Building
Tuesday, October 31, 2000
10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Student Day

Awards
Design A Mask Contest
1st, 2nd, & 3rd place awards in both "Individual" and "Group" categories.
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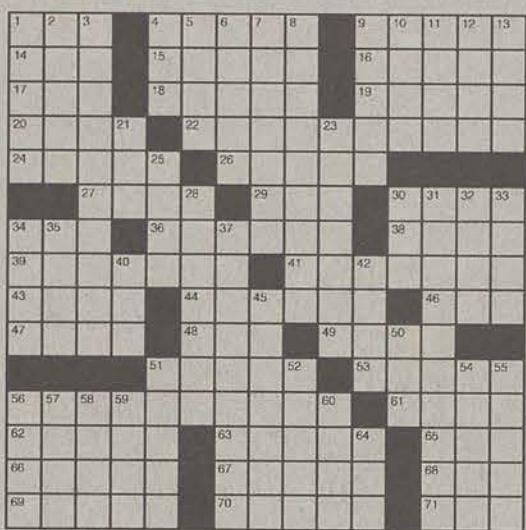
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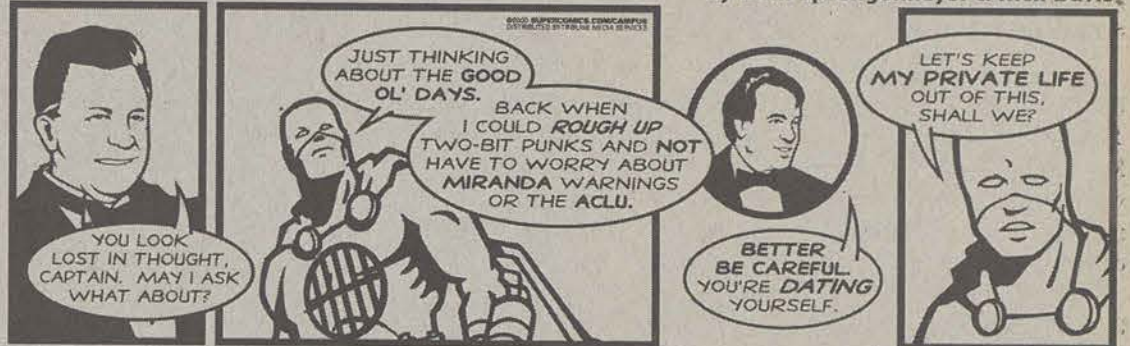
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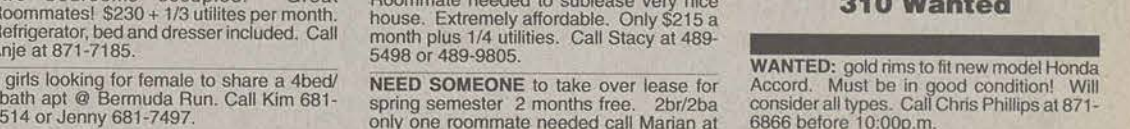
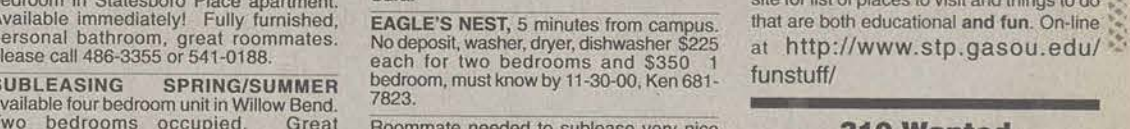
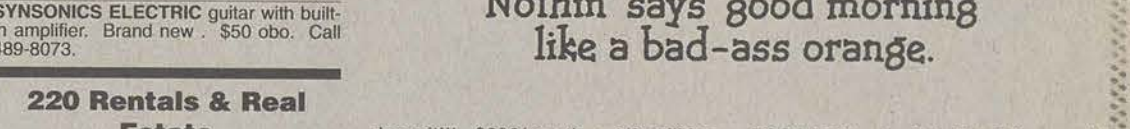
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240 Services

Eagles enter game with a chance to make SoCon history

By Doug Kidd
Senior Sports Writer

Courtesy of East Tennessee State's upset victory over Furman last week, the GSU football team enters Saturday's game versus the Buccaneers with a chance to make some Southern Conference history. A win for the Eagles (7-1, 6-0) over ETSU (4-3, 3-2) would ensure GSU a piece of the conference title for the fourth straight year, something that hasn't been done in the SoCon since Furman accomplished the feat in the early '80's.

"It's big," said fullback Adrian Peterson of the contest. "It will give us at least a share of the conference [title] and give us a spot in the playoffs, so it's a big game for us."

Week nine is a big week for Peterson also, as the junior is set to tie former two-time Heisman winner Archie Griffin's Division I record of 31 consecutive regular season games of one-hundred yards. Peterson, who, including playoffs, has rushed over the century mark in 38 straight games, is not too concerned with the record.

"I'm not really thinking about [the record] really," said the junior who's 1,255 yards rank third in the country. "I'm just going to go out Saturday like it was any other game and try to be focused."

Being focused was a problem last week for the Eagles in their sloppy 27-10 victory over the Citadel. Citing a lack of intensity in practice leading up to the Bulldog game as the reason the Citadel was able to hang around, GSU head coach Paul Johnson isn't too impressed with the way his team has practiced this week.

"So-so, it's been 'so-so'," said the fourth-year coach who has led the Eagles to a 43-8 record during his stay in Statesboro. "We're not where we're supposed to be."

"At times [our focus] has been all right," said quarterback J.R.

Revere, "but there's always room for improvement. We just have to execute and do our stuff on Saturday."

GSU will need to be focused when they take on ETSU, the last SoCon team to beat the Eagles at Paulson Stadium. Behind quarterback Todd Wells' 401 yard (336 passing, 65 rushing) effort last week, ETSU upset the then sixth-ranked team in the country. Wells, a four-year starter who won the Southern Conference's Freshman-of-the-Year award in 1997, has played well all year, passing for 1,696 yards and nine touchdowns on 119-of-216 passing. The Forest Park, Georgia native is also the squad's second-leading rusher with 259 yards and three scores.

"I've got tremendous respect for that guy," said Coach Johnson of Wells. "He might not be as fast as some people or have as much arm strength as some but he's a leader and a competitor. I've seen that guy take some shots and come back so I've got the utmost respect for that kid."

"He's a four-year starter and I've played against him every year that I've been here," said fellow senior Ryan Hadden. "He's a pretty good athlete with a good

arm and he scrambles well. They love to throw the ball and Wells has a good group of receivers to throw the ball to."

Wells' favorite targets have been senior Corey Martin (32 catches, 553 yards, one touchdown) and sophomore Cecil Moore (30 receptions, 560 yards, four touchdowns). Adding 22 catches for 141 yards, Terrance Sims rounds out one of the SoCon's receiving corps.

At tailback, ETSU has turned to freshman Corey Carter to take over for former All-SoCon selection Brandon Walker. Carter has played well at times in his initial season, rushing for 272 yards and four touchdowns on 85 attempts.

"[ETSU] throws the ball 30 or 40 times a game," said Hadden, GSU's third-leading tackler at 40 total stops, "but [Carter] runs the ball hard when they give it to him. When he gets the ball in his hands he's just as dangerous as anybody out there so we need to treat him with respect."

GSU looks to rebound after last week's offensive disappointment, which saw GSU being held to their lowest rushing output of



Luke Renfro

FAMILY WEEKEND GAME: The Eagles will take on ETSU Saturday afternoon at 2pm for the Family Weekend game. If the Eagles can clinch a win, they will be assured a spot in the playoffs.

the season. Despite the Citadel game, GSU is second in the nation and first in the SoCon with 347.5 rushing yards per game. With Peterson, (1,255 yards, 13 touchdowns) and Revere (560 yards, seven scores) spearheading GSU's explosive offense, ETSU's defense will have to play much like they did in last week's 23-21 win over the Paladins.

"[ETSU] played well defensively," said Coach Johnson. "Furman turned the ball over five times and when you do that on the road, you're looking for problems."

The Bucs are lead on defense by linebacker Rahim El Amin with 68 tackles, seven for losses. Cory Bolden (68 tackles), Ocasio Cofield (60 tackles), and Russ Lindgren (46 tackles, four interceptions) will all help try to contain Peterson and company this weekend.

"They always play hard defensively," said Revere, the SoCon's leader in passing efficiency with a 151.7 rating. "They pursue the ball really well and they're physical—a typical East Tennessee State team."

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Time for a Roadtrip

Watson Scandals Dominate Da Main Events in the CRI Game of the Week

In an amazing score of 42 to 8, The Watson Scandals—also the Pre-Season Flag Football Champions—had little trouble controlling the field Thursday night. Their team was led by an outstanding quarterback, Jimmy Brown. The halftime score was 20-8, with 22 additional points scored by the Scandals in the 2nd half. Stay tuned for Championship information.

Play-off games begin on October 23rd.



The Watson Scandals pose for a victory photo!



There wasn't a dull moment on the field...

Men's soccer falls to Georgia State in overtime

G-A News Service

Georgia Southern visited overtime for the fifth time this season, but the ending result saw host Georgia State score the game-winner at the 93:17 mark in taking a 3-2 win over the Eagles in a non-conference match Wednesday afternoon.

The Eagles fall to 6-10-2 overall with only one game remaining—a Sunday trip to Jacksonville for a 2pm start before the Southern Conference Tournament on November 2-5.

Senior Tony Brown continued his recent tear by scoring Georgia Southern's first goal just 1:28 into the game off assists from Martin Cunningham and David Fisk. The Bulldogs tied the match 10 minutes later when Terrance Johnson scored.

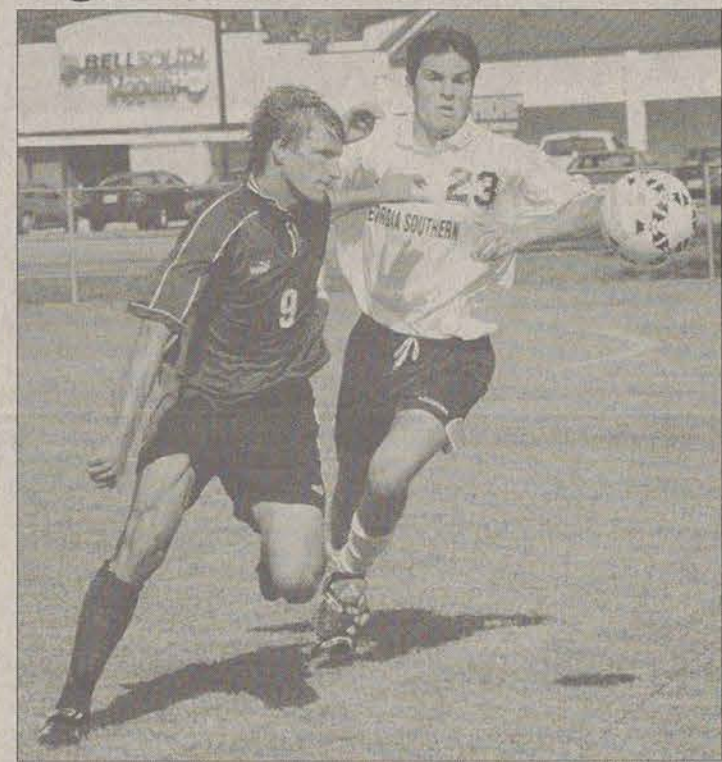
GSU sophomore transfer Eric Douglas scored his first goal as an Eagle in the 33rd minute when he was assisted by Ben Freakley and Terry McDaniel, helping the visi-

tors regain the lead. But once again, Georgia State tied the match, this time in the 37th minute off an unassisted goal from Scott Mora.

A scoreless second half forced the two teams into overtime, where Paul Leyva scored the game-winner for Georgia State in the 94th minute off a corner-kick header.

The Eagles outshot the Bulldogs 20-17 for the match. Georgia Southern keeper Garret Lazenby recorded seven saves in the losing cause. Darren McKune had four saves for the hosts.

The Eagles will play at Jacksonville this Sunday to put a wrap on the 2000 regular season. Georgia Southern will then prepare for the Southern Conference Tournament on November 2-5 at Patriots Point in Charleston, SC. The Eagles will enter the league tourney after going 2-5-1 in league games this season.



Jill Burnham

ONE MORE GAME: The men's soccer team have one more game to improve their 2-5-1 overall league play. After playing Jacksonville this Sunday, the men will head to Charleston, SC to compete in the SoCon Tournament.

Lady Eagles edged out by Bears

G-A News Service

The Mercer University volleyball team (7-20) needed only three games to dispose of the Georgia Southern Eagles (11-13) in Porter Gym.

Tuesday night. The Bears won by scores of 15-12, 16-14 and 15-11.

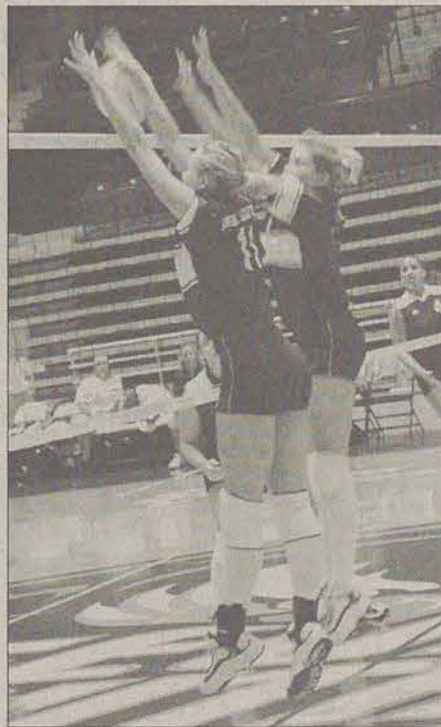
The hosts were led by sophomore Vicky Skundric. The California native had a sensational night with 20 kills and only one error for an impressive .514 hitting percentage. Junior Erin Jalbert chipped in with nine kills and a team leading 15 digs while Amy Schreiber posted eight kills and seven blocks.

Georgia Southern got 10 kills and six digs from Erin Martin in the loss. Megan Lippi added seven kills and tied for

the team high with six digs.

Georgia Southern returns to action Saturday, October 28

when it hosts Southern Conference rival Chattanooga at 5:00 p.m. at Hanner Fieldhouse.



File Photo

SWEPT AWAY: The Lady Eagles fell to the Mercer Bears in a 3-0 sweep on Wednesday afternoon. The team will next take on their SoCon rival, Chattanooga, on Saturday at 5:00 pm at Hanner Fieldhouse.

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